

Norfolk Azalea Festival Queens

YEAR	COUNTRY	QUEEN
1954	United States	Patricia Ann Priest, daughter of Treasurer of the US, Mrs. Ivy Baker Priest
1955	United States	Olivia Barbour Twining, daughter of Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Chief of Staff, US Air Force
1956	United States	Nell Eastland, daughter of Sen. James O. Eastland, Mississippi
1957	United Kingdom	Lady Carey Coke, daughter of Fifth Earl Leicester, Thomas William Edward Coke
1958	United States	Patricia Jane Lemay, daughter of Vice Chief of Staff, US Air Force, Curtis E. Lemay
1959	United States	Bonnie Ruth Buchanan, daughter of State Dept. Chief of Protocol, Wiley Buchanan
1960	United States	Paula Layton Pace, daughter of former Secretary of the Army, Frank Pace
1961	United States	Lynda Bird Johnson, daughter of US Vice President Lyndon Baines Johnson
1962	United States	Margaret Anne (Peggy) Goldwater, daughter of Sen. Barry Goldwater
1963	United States	Verita Korth, daughter of former Sec. of the Navy Fred Korth
1964	United States	Gene Zuckert, daughter of Sec. of the Air Force Eugene M. Zuckert
1965	United States	Luci Baines Johnson, daughter of US President Lyndon Baines Johnson
1966	Norway	Kari Borten, daughter of Prime Minister Per Borten
1967	Belgium	Monique Van Den Boeynants, daughter of Prime Minister Paul Van Den Boeynants
1968	Netherlands	Cari Luns, daughter of Joseph M.A.H. Luns, Foreign Minister of the Netherlands

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- 1969** United States Tricia Nixon, daughter of President Richard M. Nixon
- 1970** West Germany Ulrike Ahlers, daughter of the State Secretary of the Federal Republic of Germany, Conrad Ahlers
- 1971** United Kingdom Sarah Rippon, daughter of The Honorable Geoffrey Rippon, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster

(NOTE: Arabella Spencer Churchill, grand-daughter of Sir Winston Churchill, was the original selection for Azalea Queen in 1971. Miss Spencer "abdicated" in March 1971)

- 1972** Portugal Maria Theresa Sanches, grandniece of Prime Minister Caetano
- 1973** Canada Heather MacDonald, daughter of Canadian Minister of Veterans Affairs, Daniel J. MacDonald
- 1974** Italy Frances Tonarelli, daughter of Foreign Service Officer, Dr. Mario Tonarelli
- 1975** France Valerie-Anne Giscard d'Estaing, daughter of President Giscard d'Estaing
- 1976** United States Susan Elizabeth Ford, daughter of President Gerald R. Ford
- 1977** West Germany Cecilie Countess Lambsdorff, daughter of Federal Republic of Germany Finance Minister, Dr. Otto Count Lambsdorff
- 1978** Netherlands Henrietta Charlotte Aleida van der Klaauw, daughter of the Foreign Minister of the Netherlands, Christoph Albert van der Klaauw
- 1979** United Kingdom Joanna Edwina Knatchbull, daughter of Lord Brabourne, John Ulick Knatchbull, 7th Baron Bradbourne & the 16th Baronet. Granddaughter of the late Lord Mountbatten or Burma
- 1980** Luxembourg Monique Hamilius, daughter of Minister of Foreign Affairs of Luxembourg, Jean Hamilius
- 1981** Denmark Brigitte Borch, daughter of Danish Ambassador to the United States, Mr. Otto R. Borch
- 1982** Greece Melanie Pappas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Pappas of Norfolk
- 1983** United States Lorene Alison Stokes, daughter of Congressman Louis Stokes
- 1984** Italy Roberta Marini, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Luigi Marini
- 1985** United Kingdom Alexandra Victoria Dibdin Heseltine, daughter of the Right Honorable Michael Heseltine



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- 1986** Canada Andrea Rose Carter, daughter of Dr. & Mrs. R. Phillip Carter
- 1987** Norway Beate Holm Pedersen, daughter of Trade Commissioner Theis H. Pedersen
- 1988** West Germany Antje Margarete Ruhfus, daughter of Ambassador Jurgen Ruhfus
- 1989** Turkey Oya Soley Turkman, daughter of Dr. & Mrs. Nebzat E. Turkman
- 1990** Iceland Katrin Sverrisdottir, daughter of Ambassador Sverrir Hankur Gunnlangsson
- 1991** Belgium Isabella De Ruyt, daughter of Mr. Jean De Ruyt, Deputy Chief of Mission, Belgian Embassy
- 1992** Spain Matilde Herrero de Zulueta, daughter of Zavier Herrero & Mercedes de Zulueta
- 1993** Canada Elizabeth Lynn Mason, daughter of RADM Lynn Mason, Canadian Navy
- 1994** Portugal Filipa Cajorabille, daughter of Cdr. Victor Cajarabille
- 1995** United Kingdom Rebecca Temperley, daughter of Professor Temperley, University of East Anglia, Norwich England

(NOTE: The original selection for Azalea Queen in 1995 was Polly Astor, grand-daughter of Nancy Langhorne, Lady Astor. Miss Astor resigned in April 1995 for health reasons)

- 1996** Netherlands Emilie Larissa Petijn, daughter of a member of the diplomatic corps.
- 1997** United States Jennie Eisenhower, daughter of Julie Nixon and David Eisenhower and grand-daughter of Presidents Richard Nixon and Dwight (Ike) Eisenhower.
- 1998** Denmark Helena Winther, daughter of Rear Admiral Kristen Winther of the Danish fleet.
- 1999** Germany Susanne Scharping, daughter of Germany's minister of defense
- 2000** Iceland Iris Huld Halldorsdottir, daughter of Iceland's minister of foreign affairs
- 2001** Spain Marta Ruperez Molenveld, daughter of Javier Ruperez, Spanish Ambassador to the United States
- 2002** Greece Anna Ipsilanti



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- 2003** USA Jennifer Robb, daughter of former Senator Charles S. Robb and Lynda Johnson Robb; granddaughter of former President Lyndon B Johnson
- 2004** Italy Rossella Caruso, daughter of Rear Admiral Raffaele Caruso, Naval Attaché for Italy, assigned to the Italian Embassy in Washington.
- 2005** Norway Kristine Austgulen
- 2006** Canada Paulina Gretzky, daughter of Canadian hockey legend Wayne Gretzky
- 2007** United Kingdom Emily MacManus, great-granddaughter of Sir Winston Churchill.

